Area	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94
Bijua	885.56	815.48	900.94
Kusunda	795.98	1713.00	528.81
Kustore	545.17	546.25	490.82
Bastacola	1051.66	1009.33	613.06
Lodna	1833.63	2259.68	1265.84
Bhowra	1247.65	404.10	4483.27
Chanch-victoria	634.19	141.20	218.15
Sudamdih	498.60	434.24	283.55
Moonidih	849.20	3026.68	1207.24
Block-II	1420.86	1464.43	1585.22
Katras Proj.	420.26	603.28	378.16
Bhalgora	604.06	410.79	687.40
Pootkee Bhalgora	1069.79	10489.41	1863.46
C.C.W.O.	349.90	913.26	355.71
Ropeways	105.88	82.37	41.30
Mines rescue station	83.03	71.24	80.20
H. Qrs.	1023.40	623.85	323.60
TOTAL	17000.01	28625.51	18239.64

Reinstatement of workers in BCCL

3479. SHRI A. NALLASIVAN: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 5254 given in the Rajya Sabha on 2nd May, 1994 and state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the judgement in Central Government Industrial Tribunal, Dhanbad on the retrenched workers on Bhurungia Colliery, Area-II of BCCL and Government's commitment in the Consultative Committee in 1990 to reinstate them;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that the screening of these workers continued on that basis in 1991 and 1992 but the process stopped since then despite the commitment; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor and the steps taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The Award of the Central Govt. Industrial Tribunal, Dhanbad and the decision in the Consultative Committee meeting held on 8.8.90 referred to giving employment to the concerned workmen whose identities are established and who are otherwise found fit and suitable, if and when vacancy arises.

(c) and (d) The Screening Committee set up to examine the genuineness of the claims of the workmen came to the conclusion that their claims for employment were not justified. Also there has been no suitable vacancy in the Company.

Investment required for optimum production in BCCL

3480. SHRI E. BALANANDAN: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether any colliery-wise assessment has been made about the required investment in the mines for optimum production for 1994-95 in Bharat Coking Coal Limited; and

(b) if so, the details therefor and the steps taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) During the preparation of Annual Plan 1994-95, Colliery-wise assessment for optimum produciton for BCCL mines

have been made. The break-up of production target and approved investment for year 1994-95 is given below:

	Production (m. t.)	Approved Investment (Rs. in Crs.)
A. Mining	0.13	0.50
On-going	0.48	4.00
projects	0.39	4.89
North Amlabad	1.45	12.08
UG		
Bhalgora UG		
Pootkee/Balihari UG		
other ongoing projects		
Total Ongoing	2.45	21.47
Projects		
Existing mines &	27.15	57.50
Completed Projects		
Total Mining	29.60	78.97
B. Washeries		
Madhutand		40.00
washery		7.00
Other Washery		24.03
C. Non Mining		10.00
D. Exploration		
TOTAL BCCL	29.60	160.00

Recruitment in BCCL

3481. SHRI E. BALANANDAN: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons recruited in Bharat Coking Coal Limited during the last three years with area-wise and year-wise break up in details; and

(b) the categories and nature of the recruitment?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA): (a) and (b) Recruitment in Bharat Coking Coal Limited is done centrally at Company Hqrs. It is restricted to non-executive categories such as Accountant, Electrician Pharmacist. Dumper/Dozer Operator, Overman etc. There are three type of recruitment namely, direct recruitment from external sources, employment of land losers and employement under the provisions of the National Coal Wage Agreement. The number of persons recruited during the last three years, in the three groups is as under:

Year	Direct Recruitment	Land losers	Under NCWA	Total
91-92	322	230	2007	2559
92-93	3	133	2052	2188
93-94	8	113	1372	1493

Indigenous process developed in CFRI for quality improvement of coking coal

3482. SHRI E. BALANANDAN: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) what is the quantity of coking coal imported from abroad in the last three years and the amount spent on that;

(b) the specification of such coal and their coal per ton;

(c) whether Government are aware of the indigenous process developed in Central Fuel Research Institute (CFRI) in Dhanbad to wash Indian Coal to that quality costing less; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA): (a) The quantity and